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CHARLES-TOWN, *July* 14.

THERE being many and daily Complaints of Horſe-ſtealing, occaſioned either by Pack-horſe-men and others picking-up Horſes in the Settlements and ſelling them in the Indian Countries; or by your travelling Jockeys, who, as there is great Reaſon to believe, exchange the Horſes of different Provinces, and what Horſes they ſteal in *Virginia* or other Northern Colonies they diſpoſe of here, and in return carry back ſome of ours, To this may be added the pernicious Practice of too many evil-diſpoſed Planters, Overſeers and others, who either take-up Mares big-with Fole, and detain them till they are fit to be parted and branded; or elſe remove Horſes and Mares from one part of the Country to another, and that the Theft may be the better concealed, crop-off their Ears, dock their Tails, or put a freſh Brand upon an old One. In order therefore to remove as much as poſſible all Grounds for ſuch Complaints for the future, it is judged not improper to reprint in this publick Manner (the Body of the Laws not being in every one's Hands) part of an Act of Aſſembly, paſſed in the Year 1705, and which, if duely perſued by every honeſt Purchaſer, would ſoon put a Stop to this unlawful Traffick, and debar them, (when detected) of their common Plea that the Perſon they purchaſed of is either dead or run-away, or that they have loſt their Bill of Sale. The Act is intituled an *Act to prevent Stealing of Horſes and neat Cattle*, and is as follows.

WHEREAS the great Diſtance of one part of this Province from another, and the Difficulties of paſſing over Rivers, Creeks, Marſhes and Swamps which lie between Plantation and Plantation, make it hard to find out a Horſe which hath ſtrayed or been ſtolen from his Owner, which is a great Encouragement to Horſe-ſtealing, and the greateſt Reaſon of its being grown ſo common; For the Prevention whereof, BE IT ENACTED by his Excellency *John* Lord *Granville*, Palatine, and the reſt of the true and abſolute Lords and Proprietors of this Province, by and with the Advice and Conſent of the reſt of the Members of the General Aſſembly, now met at *Charleſtown* for the South-Weſt Part of this Province; AND IT IS ENACTED by the Authority of the ſame, That every Perſon which Thirty Days after the Ratification of this Act, ſhall buy or exchange any Horſe, Mare, Gelding, Colt or Filly without avouching or tolling the ſame before a Juſtice of the Peace, in ſuch Manner and Form as herein hereafter is appointed, ſhall looſe and forfeit every Horſe, Mare or Gelding, Colt or Filly which he ſhall buy or exchange as aforeſaid, if the ſame ſhall happen to be ſtolen, to the right Owner thereof.

II. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That every Juſtice of the Peace, to whom any Perſon ſhall come to toll or avouch any Horſe, Mare, Gelding, Colt or Filly, ſhall avouch and toll the ſame, and in a Book for that End by him kept, ſhall enter the time of Sale and the Name and Place of Dwelling of every Seller and Buyer of ſuch Horſe, Mare, Gelding, Colt or Filly, and the Burnt Mark or other notable Fleſh-Mark thereof, and the Price or Thing for which the ſame is ſold or exchanged, and ſhall under his Hand give a Certificate of ſuch his Entry, of every reſpective Buyer requiring the ſame, repaying the Juſtice one Royal for the ſame, under the Penalty of Thirty Shillings for every Neglect aforeſaid, to be recovered in ſuch Manner as the Act for ſmall and mean Cauſes directs, the one Moiety to him or them that ſhall inform of the ſame, and the other Moiety to be paid into the Hands of the publick Receiver for the Uſe of the Publick, to be diſpoſed of by an Ordinance of the General Aſſembly: And

every

every perſon in whoſe Cuſtody, as pretended Owner thereof, any Horſe, Mare, Gelding, Colt or Filly ſhall be found, which is not avouched or tolled as aforeſaid, and ſhall happen to be ſtolen, ſhall, unleſs he can prove by one or more Witneſſes from whom he bought the ſame, be taken and deemed the Stealer thereof, and be after legally convicted thereof, guilty of Felony without Benefit of Clergy.

III. And for the better Diſcovery of ſtolen Horſes, BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That every Juſtice of the Peace before whom any Sale or Exchange of any Horſe, Mare, Gelding, Colt or Filly ſhall be avouched as aforeſaid, ſhall give under his Hand a true and full Copy of his Entry thereof to any Perſon requiring the ſame, he paying *one Royal* for the ſame, or for Refuſal thereof ſhall forfeit 30 *s*, to be recoverd in ſuch Manner and Form, and for ſuch Uſe as the ſaid Forfeiture of *Thirty Shillings* is before ordained, and appointed, and every Perſon at whoſe Requeſt any Horſe, Mare, Gelding, Colt or Filly ſhall be tolled and avouched as aforeſaid, ſhall pay to that Juſtice before whom the ſame was done, *one Royal* and no more.

BRISTOL, *March* 31.

The Rev. Mr. *Whitefield*, who ſet out from *London* the 7th paſt for the Weſt in order to preach and collect Money for an Orphan-Houſe and Infirmary in Georgia, has been wonderfully laborious and ſucceſsful, eſpecially among the poor Priſoners in Newgate, and the rude Colliers of Kingswood, preaching every Day to large Audiences, viſiting, and expounding to religious Societies. On Saturday the 18th Inſtant, he preached at Hannum Mount to 5 or 6000 Perſons, amongſt them many Colliers. In the Evening he removed to the Common, about half a Mile further, where Three Mounts and the Plain round were crowded with ſo great a Multitude of Coaches, Foot and Horſemen, that they cover'd Three Acres and were computed at Twenty Thouſand People, and at both Places he collected Fourteen Pounds, Ten Shillings for the Orphan-Houſe of Georgia. The Nineteenth and Twentieth he preached in a Field near Bath to Four or Five Thouſand each Day; on Wedneſday on a Mount at Keinſham to Two or Three Thouſand; on Thurſday to about the ſame Number at Baptiſt-Mills; and on Friday among the Colliers at the Fiſhponds.

Cuſtom-Houſe, Charleſtown,

Entred Inwards.

Ship Cræſus, Joſhua Thomas and
Brigt. Patience, Vincent Bodin from Barbados.
—— Henry & Mary, Wm. Drury from Iſle of May.
—— Friend, Edw. Slater from Madeira.
Scooner Dorcheſter, Ja: Parſons and
Sloop Eagle, Robt. Scott from Providence.

Entred out,

Snow Seneca, John Jones for Briſtol.
Sloop Exeter, Nehem. Dunſcome for Providence.

Char'd per Departure.

Ship Batchelor's Adventure, John Rice to Cowes.
—— Peggy, Andr. Newell to London.
Ship Amoretta, John Crode to Briſtol.

EXPORTED from this PLACE ſince *Nov.* 1, 1738.

Rice 58751 Barrels. Pitch 3248. Tarr 731. Turpentine 14 Whereof 6085 Barrels of Rice to the Southward of Cape *Finiſterre*.

PRICE of the following Goods.

Rice 47 *s.* 6 *d.* to 50 *s.*
Pitch 30 *s.* to 35 *s.*
Tar 25 *s.*
Turpentine none.
Skins 17 6 *d.* to 18 *s.* 6 *d.*
Flour *per C.* 3 *l.*
Middling bread 6 *l.*
Milk —— 2 *l.* 10 *s per* qu Cask.
White —— 2 *l.* 5 *s.* per ditto.
Brown —— 3 *l.* 10 *s.*
Ship —— 4 *l.*
Coarſe Salt *per Buſh.* 10 *d.*
Fine ditto 7 *s.* 6 *d.*
Indian Corn 7 *s.* 6 *d.*
Jamaica Rum *per* Cask 18 *s.*
Limejuice 10 *s.*
Barbados Rum *per Hhds.* 14 *l.*
Melaſſes *per Hogſh.* 9 *l.* 6 *d.*
Madeira Wine, per Pipe 90 *l.*
Vidonia Wine, *per* ditto 85 *l.*

Advertiſements.

To be Sold

A Plantation belonging to Mr. *Lake*, on Aſhley-River, within 3 Miles of *Charleſtown* by Water, lying between Mr. Harvey's and Mrs. Hills, containing 236 Acres with a Dwelling houſe thereon compleatly fitted with ſeveral other Houſes neceſſary for a Family, a good new Barn and all Conveniencies for Stock; the Gardens are extenſive, pleaſant and profitable, and abound with all ſorts of Fruit Trees, and reſemble old England the moſt of any in the Province, there is about 80 Acres planted with Rice, Corn and all other Proviſion, a Stock of Cattle, Horſes, Sheep, Goats and Hoggs, all ſorts of Poultry, a good Pidgeon Houſe well ſtock'd, Engliſh Rabbets, a large Canoe, ſeveral ſorts of Houſhold Stuff, a Horſe Cart, and all kinds of Plantation Tools, 7 Negroes, among which is a very good Sempſtreſs and Houſe Negroes. Alſo to be ſold 1285 Acres of Land at *Aſhepoo*, lying between Capt. *Ambroſe*'s & Mr. *St. John*'s Land. Whoever has a mind to buy the Plantation on *Aſhley*-River, which is ready ſettled with all the Neceſſaries upon it, or the Land at *Aſhepoo*, ſhall have them at a reaſonable Rate, and a moderate time for the Payment without Intereſt, giving good Security for the Money, may treat with Mr. *Richard Lake* at the ſaid Plantation on *Aſhley-River*, or with Mr. *Wm. Hare* in *Charles-Town*.

TO BE SOLD

A LOT on the Green, and 100 Acres of Land on *Hilton-Head* Iſland, any Perſon inclin'd to purchaſe may know further from

Sarah Blakeway.

Brought to Goal in Charleſtown.

July 7. *Neve*, a run away Negro Fellow belonging to Mr. *John Bruce*, taken up by one of Mr *LeSeur*'s Negroes at his Plantation.

July 7. *Tony*, a run-away Negro Fellow, ſays he belongs to Mr *Jackſon*, branded on the left Thigh, taken up at *Combahee*-River by *John King*.

Any young Ladies that have a mind to learn Embroidery, Lace-work, Tapistry or or any other sort of Needle-work, Drawing and French (for which two last there shall be particular Hours in the Day) may enquire of the Printer hereof, where they may be carefully taught and after the best Manner by

Jane Voyer.

NB. None under the Age of 12 will be taken in to be taught any of the above, and any Person who hath any Paterns to be drawn, may have them done after the newest Fashion and in the best Manner at the aforesaid Place.

TO BE SOLD

The Plantation at *Goose-Creek*, formerly belonging to *Thos Clifford* Esq; now in the Possession of Mr. *Thomas Cheesman*, containing 350 Acres, on which is now standing a large Brick House, a House adjoining to it of 2 Rooms on a Floor, one Story high, a very large Store House, a Coach house and Stables, a Barn, Smoke house, and several Houses for all kind of Stock, all strong and compleatly built but 2 Years ago, a Stock of Cattle, Horses, Sheep, Hogs and Goats, a Cattle and Horse Cart, all sorts of Plantation Tools and 32 Negroes, among which are 2 Washer Women, a Sawyer and a Cooper, the Rest are all young Slaves, there is also to be sold a 4 Wheel'd Chaise, a large Canoe, several sorts of House Furniture & 4 large Cases with Bottles. Whoever has a mind to purchase the Plantation with the Crop on it, and Stock, or any of the Negroes, may treat with Mr. *Richard Lake* at his Plantation on *Ashley* River, or with Mr *William Hare* in *Charlestown*, and may have it on reasonable Terms, and Time allow'd for the Payment of the Purchase Money, without Interest, giving good Security.

There is also within two Miles of the above Plantation a Tract of Land, very convenient for it, containing 300 Acres of Wood Land, joining Mr. *Paul Mazyck*'s Land, and to be sold on the above Terms.

JUST IMPORTED

FROM *Hull*, and to be sold by *Wm. Welsh* at Capt. *Geo Smith*'s Store on the Bay, super fine broad Cloth and grograms, haberdashery, men and womens shoes & stockings of several sorts, caps and hats, loaf sugar, writing paper, white & red paint & linseed oyl, nails of all sorts pewter and spoons of all sorts, Corks, Raisins of the Sun and Prunes, hard ware, men & womens gloves, mens perwigs, gun powder, lead shot of all sorts, grind stones, *Yorkshire* Ale, *Lime* and *Newcastle* Coals, tobacco pipes, also a choice parcel of *Madeira* WINES, and as I intend to leave the Province again in a very short time, every thing will be sold very cheap for ready Money only.

NB Good Rice, Pich, Tar and Deer Skins will be taken in Payment at the Market Price.

JUST IMPORTED

In the Brigt. Patience, *Vincent Bodin* Master from Barbadoes and to be sold by Yeomens and Elliott Choice good Rum in Hogsheads, and Teirces, and best Muscovado Sugar, in Hogsheads, and Barrels.

NB. They have extraordinary good fresh Limejaice, Mill-stones for grinding Corn, white and milk Bread, also a parcel of Printed Linnens lately imported with Indian trading and several other goods, all which will be sold very reasonable. Also good *Madeira Wine.*

TO BE SOLD

A Very good Tract of Land at *Ponpon*, containing 500 Acres, being the Plantation of *Henry Livingston* deceased, and a House and Land in *Tradd*-street, opposite to Coll. *Hext*'s, also a compleat Set of Silver Smith's Tools. Enquire of Mr. *James Matthews.*

To be Sold

ON the 25th Day of this Instant *July*, at the New-Market House in *Charlestown*, for Credit until the First Day of *January* next, with Interest from the Day of Sale, sundry Slaves, Household Furniture and other Goods belonging to the Estate of *Robert Hume* Esq; deceased,

AND

ON the third Wednesday in *October* next, will be sold at the same Place, together or in Parcels the following Tracts of Land belonging to the same Estate,

184 Acres of Land on *Charlestown* Neck, fronting *Cooper* River, with several valuable Buildings and Improvements, and 1000 Acres of Marsh adjoining to it.

84 Acres of Land on *Charlestown* Neck, fronting the Broad-road.

A Corner Lot fronting *Queen street* and old *Church-street.*

A Lot in *Archdale*'s Square.

360 Acres in *St Thomas*'s Parish in *Berkley* County.

2650
1700
4000
1950
1050 } Acres in *Craven* County.
500

1000 Acres on *Cheshaw* in *Colleton* County.

6300 Acres above the Township of *Williamsburg* in *Craven* County in three Tracts.

1000 in *Queensborough* Township *Craven* County.

Any Person inclinable to purchase may in the mean time be inform'd of the Situation by *Mr. Wm. Wallace* or *Mr. Peter Hume* in *Charlestown.*

The Purchasers of the Lands are to give Security to the said Messrs *Wallace & Hume*, and those who buy the Negroes or Goods are to give such Security as shall be approved of by Messrs. *Pinckney, Lewis* and *Whitaker.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that Wednesday the 18th of *July* 1739, is appointed for a general Meeting of the Honourable *John Fenwicke* Esq; and Company, at the House of Mr. *John Burford* in *Charlestown*, to consider of the Affairs of the said Company, when and where the surviving Copartners, and Representatives of such as are dead or absent, are desir'd to give their Attendance.

Charlestown, June 30, 1739. *Thomas Lamboll.*

NB. Such Persons as have left any part of their Bonds unpaid which is not yet put in Suit, will do well to discharge what they are indebted by the above appointed Day.

To be Sold

by *Benjamin Savage and Comp.* choice old *Barbados* Rum, loaf Sugar, Cordage, and sundry other European Goods, and a good Assortment of India Goods. Whereas the said *Benjamin Savage* lately departed this Province, and has left Orders with me to sue all those indebted to the said Company, and which was due before the first of *March* last, unless they discharge their Debts or settle them to my Satisfaction before the Fifteenth of *August* next.

I hereby desire all such as are indebted as aforesaid, to pay their Debts by that Time, or give good Security for the Payment by the first of *January* next, as I shall (according to my Orders) sue those that fail to comply.

John Savage.

All Persons having any Demands on the Estate of *Wm. Linthwaite* deceased, are desired to bring in their Accounts to *Eleanor Linthwaite* and *Sarah Clapp* Executrixes, or *John Moultrie* Executor, in order to have the same adjusted, and Notice is hereby given, to such as are indebted to the said Estate, that unless they satisfy their respective Debts on or before the first Day of *August* next, I have Instructions to sue out Processes against them.

James Graves.

NB. The said *Eleanor Linthwaite* carries on the Business, where all sorts of Goods are sold, and Work may be done as usual.